

## Message Text

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TOKYO FOR HENOC

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: ENRG, RP  
SUBJECT: UCS REPORT ON WESTINGHOUSE NUCLEAR PROJECT CATCHES  
VELASCO'S ATTENTION

REF: MANILA 2511

SECRETARY OF ENERGY VELASCO STARTED OUT CONVERSATION DURING  
COURTESY CALL BY WILLIAM HENOC, FAR EAST REGIONAL REPRESENTATIVE,  
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, BY RECALLING THE UNION OF CONCERNED  
SCIENTISTS "REPORT ON THE BATAAN NUCLEAR PROJECT" (SEE REFTEL) AND  
CHARACTERIZING IT AS "A VERY INTERESTING LETTER." VELASCO SAID HE IS  
CALLING ITS AUTHOR, DANIEL FORD, IN FOR A DISCUSSION FEBRUARY 16.  
HE ADDED, "IF HE IS ONLY HALF RIGHT ABOUT THE 200 MAJOR TECHNICAL  
PROBLEMS, WE HAVE A SERIOUS PROBLEM."  
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## Message Attributes

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